

THAW SANE WHEN HE KILLED WHITE, SAYS LUNACY EXPERT

Dr. C. P. Bancroft, of Federal Court's Commission That Studied Slayer in New Hampshire, Unshaken in Belief.

NEW YORK, June 28.—Thaw is not insane and never was insane. He was not insane the night he killed Stanford White, but was laboring under an over-indulgence in champagne. He thought he was justified in shooting White.

This statement, the sworn opinion of Dr. Charles P. Bancroft, Thaw witness, created a sensation today in the Supreme Court, where the slayer of Stanford White seeks a habeas corpus writ to release him from Matteawan asylum.

Dr. Bancroft, superintendent of the New Hampshire Hospital for the Insane and a member of the Lunacy Commission appointed by a Federal Court in 1914, which found the prisoner sane, remained unshaken in his declaration that Thaw is sane in every particular.

Dr. Bancroft reiterated his declaration that a paranoiac may submerge his mind for a period of several weeks and conceal it from a physician, but he refused to admit that such concealment could be carried on for months or years.

Dr. Bancroft admitted that heredity plays a great part in any individual suffering from paranoia, and the possibility of prenatal infection by the mother.

Dr. Percy Heckling, an alienist, of Washington, D. C., a practicing physician for 31 years and an expert on mental diseases, was the next witness. He swore he believed Thaw sane and rational, and in several examinations found no evidence of paranoia.

Much of Cook's cross-examination had to do with perversion. Mrs. Mary Copley Thaw, mother of Harry, who was not in court yesterday, was not expected to be there today. It was the first time in the nine years of the Thaw legal controversy that his mother was not with him, but the gray-haired woman had been warned that the State's cross-examination would be distasteful to her.

It was deemed probable that Thaw's direct case would be concluded today. He will probably be examined in rebuttal. The State's case will consume probably a week.

Thaw told reporters just before court recessed that he had a startling surprise that would be sprung in his behalf soon. Just what it was he would not tell. He intimated that the evidence he referred to probably would be offered in rebuttal of the State's case.

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SECOND INNING. Lajole singled to left. McInnis out. Neff to Gandil. Lajole going to second. Lapp walked. Kopf was called out on strikes. Wyckoff forced Lapp at second. McBride unassisted. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Milan singled to center. Gandil singled to center. Milan was thrown out at third. Strunk to Schang. Gandil going to second on the throw in. Neff singled to right, scoring Gandil. Henry singled to left. Neff going to third and Henry to second on the throw in. McBride walked, killing the bases. Boehling struck out. Connolly forced McBride at second to Kopf, unassisted. One run, four hits, no errors.

Murphy fanned. Strunk out. Boehling to Gandil. Walsh singled to center. Walsh out, stealing. Henry to McBride. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Foster singled to center. Shanks sacrificed. Schang to McInnis. Milan bunted safely. Foster taking third. Milan stole second. Lajole threw out Gandil. Neff scoring and Milan taking third. Neff singled to left, scoring Milan. Henry fled to Strunk. Two runs, three hits, no errors.

Schlang lined to Milan. Lajole lined to Shanks. McInnis fled to Shanks. No runs, no hits, no errors.

BRIEF CITY-WIDE NEWS

RESIGNS FROM MUNICIPAL RESEARCH BUREAU. Announcement was made today that Ralph Bowman, director of the Bureau of Municipal Research since April, 1914, had severed his connection with the bureau.

MAYOR WILL NOT TRAVEL WITH LIBERTY BELL PARTY. Mayor Blankenburg today notified the Councilmanic Committee, which will be accompanied on its trip West by the Liberty Bell, that he will not travel with the party from Seattle, as he had expected.

BIG WAR CONTRACT FOR PHILADELPHIA FIRM. Another big war contract which will require several months to fill has just been obtained by J. H. Jolley & Co., brass tube manufacturers, at 42 North 5th street.

DOUGHNUT CAUSES \$500 FIRE. A doughnut hopping out of a pan into the fire in the restaurant of Michael Kiehl, 1808 Columbia avenue, early today, started a blaze which did damage to the extent of \$500.

FIREMEN HURT FIGHTING BLAZE. Two firemen were injured and four women narrowly escaped being burned early this morning in a fire which damaged the photographic studio of John Ivalzian, at 227 South 60th street, causing a loss of about \$1700.

WILL WATCH GYPSY CAMPS FOR MISSING BOY. Detective Joseph Shay, head of the Missing Bureau at City Hall, today was asked to keep a lookout over gypsy camps here for 4-year-old James Glass, of Greely, Pike County, Pa., who has been missing since May 17.

CONE JOHNSON TO SPEAK HERE ON THE FOURTH. Cone Johnson, solicitor of the Department of State, will represent the United States at the national Fourth of July celebration at Independence Hall.

QUICK NEWS. BRITAIN TAKES FIRST CONSCRIPTION STEP. LONDON, June 29.—The Government today took its first step in the direction of conscription.

MONTENEGRINS OCCUPY SCUTARI. ROME, June 29.—Montenegrin troops have occupied Scutari, the largest city of Albania.

FIVE BILLION FIRST YEAR'S WAR COST TO BRITAIN. LONDON, June 29.—The first year of war will cost England at least \$5,000,000,000, Premier Asquith declared at a monster mass-meeting in the interest of national economy staged this afternoon at Guildhall.

PEOPLE OF TRIESTE ON VERGE OF STARVATION. ZURICH, Switzerland, June 29.—Travelers arriving today from Austria state that there is a great scarcity of food in Trieste and that the population is upon the verge of starvation.

BRITISH INSURANCE FIRM TAKES \$15,000,000 OF WAR LOAN. LONDON, June 29.—The Prudential Assurance Company today subscribed \$15,000,000 to the new British war loan, the record application since announcement of the new issue was made.

SAN FRANCISCO URGES NEW SHIPPING LAWS. SAN FRANCISCO, June 29.—An important step to put more American ships upon the seas and change the archaic maritime laws of the United States so that American ship owners can compete with foreign vessels was taken yesterday by the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce.

CANADIAN PREMIER AND MILITIA HEAD CALLED TO ENGLAND. NEW YORK, June 29.—Called to England on a war mission, Sir Robert Borden, Premier of Canada, and General Sam Hughes, Canadian Minister of Militia, arrived today from Ottawa.

WASHINGTON SKEPTICAL REGARDING CANAL SLIDE. WASHINGTON, June 29.—Neither the War nor the Navy Department had been advised today of another Culebra Cut slide which, reports say, had blocked the Panama Canal.

DECISION OF FRENCH IN DACIA CASE SOON. PARIS, June 29.—The decision of a French prize court in the case of the American cotton steamer Dacia will be announced within a few days, it was stated here today.

DECORATED FOR TAKING FIRST AUSTRIAN FLAG. ROME, June 29.—For capturing the first Austrian flag after the beginning of hostilities, a Tuscan infantryman, B. Brana, was today awarded a silver medal and received \$2000.

TURKS BEATEN IN BATTLE ON CAUCASUS PEAK. PETROGRAD, June 29.—A battle in the clouds overhanging Gheidag Mountain, in the Caucasus, resulted in the defeat of Turkish forces with heavy losses, according to official dispatches to the War Office today.

ENGINEER OF DITCHED TRAIN KILLED. WARREN, O., June 29.—Engineer Louis Loveland, of Cleveland, was killed and Fireman Robert Olson was seriously injured today when Erie passenger train No. 35, Cleveland bound, went into a ditch at Mahoning, seven miles west of here.

Bird, Cornell, Receives Shock. Cannot Live With Mother-in-law. Bird, Cornell, N. Y., June 28.—As Royal O. Bird, No. 7, of the winning Cornell crew, received a shock today when Cornell coach Cornell knocked him. Bird is believed to be a victim.

PHILS BEAT DODGERS 5 TO 4 IN FINAL

Continued from Page One. Chalmers out. Getz to Daubert. Four runs, three hits, no errors.

FIFTH INNING. Byrne threw out Myers. Niehoff threw out O'Mara. Daubert popped to Killifer. No runs, no hits, no errors.

SIXTH INNING. Wheat fanned. Whitted made a fine catch of Cutshaw's fly. Chalmers threw out Stengle. No runs, no hits, no errors.

SEVENTH INNING. Getz made a one-handed stop and threw out Ludurus. Killifer was hit by a pitched ball. Chalmers sacrificed. Appleton to Daubert. O'Mara threw Byrne out. No runs, no hits, no errors.

EIGHTH INNING. Myers singled to center, O'Mara sacrificed, Ludurus to Niehoff, who covered the bag. Chalmers threw out Daubert, Myers going to third. Wheat fouled to Ludurus. No runs, one hit, no errors.

NINTH INNING. Cutshaw fled to Becker, against the bleacher wall. Stengle fanned. Chalmers threw out Getz. No runs, no hits, no errors.

PHILLIES AND BRAVES TO SEE MOTOR RACES

Alexander to Fire Shot Starting 40-mile Contest at Point Breeze Thursday.

The motorcycle and motorcycle fans of this city will see the very best card of the season next Thursday night, when Clarence Carman, of Jamaica, L. I., the present world's champion; George Wiley, of Syracuse, N. Y., from whom Carman grabbed the championship last year; George Sears, the noted French rider, and Vincenzo Madonna, the crack Italian rider, meet in a 40-mile motor race at Point Breeze Park Motorodrome.

Two new faces will be seen when George Sears and Vincenzo Madonna appear as the third and fourth entries for Thursday night. These two riders have been cleaning up at Chicago and New York tracks, and it was necessary to run an extra five-mile heat to decide the winner of the motor race at Sheephead Bay last Thursday night between Sears and Wiley, in which the former not only won the race, but established a new world's record when he covered the ten miles of the race in 13:17.4, eclipsing the former record, held by Carman, of 14:35.25.

Manager Roden has invited the world's champions, the Boston Nationals, and the Philadelphia baseball team to be present, and Grover Cleveland Alexander will be asked to fire the shot that starts the riders on their long grind.

SLATON SAYS FRANK'S COMMUTATION RIGHT

Continued from Page One. The end of all your ambitions and that you would have to live in seclusion for the rest of your life.

"No, no!" he replied. "If you read my statement, from which those words were supposedly quoted, you would understand that was not the case. What I said was that, even if my action meant that I would have to forego all hope of future political preferment, I nevertheless could not have done otherwise than obey the dictates of my conscience. That word 'if,' you see, makes all the difference in the world."

SILENT AS TO FRANK'S INNOCENCE. "Did you commute the sentence of Frank because you believed he was innocent, or simply because you considered a reasonable doubt existed, and for that reason the man should not be hanged?"

"I have never said whether or not I believe Frank innocent. I have not had to. Frank's attorneys asked simply that I commute his sentence from death to life imprisonment. They did not ask me to pardon him."

"The fact is that the only body legally authorized to hand down a decision as to Frank's guilt or innocence was the jury that tried him. They said he was guilty. But the law recognizes two penalties for murder—life imprisonment and death. The Supreme Court of Georgia and the Supreme Court of the United States handed down adverse judgments on appeals, but not adverse judgments in the matter of Frank's innocence. They simply refused to sustain the arguments that he had not had a fair trial. The possibility that Frank may have been unjustly convicted by the jury in a perfectly fair trial still remains."

"Why is it that in Georgia, where there is a legal non-prosecution against the Negro in other parts of the country in a matter in which it was a question of Negro versus white man, the trend of opinion locally should have been against Frank?"

"That is answered," Slaton replied, "by what is known as the hue and cry theory in legal non-prosecution. Suspicion first settled on Frank. Everything was against him circumstantially. It was a nasty crime—a child of 13 killed the way she was. And, naturally enough, resentment was tremendous against the perpetrator of it. The stage was so set that Frank looked absolutely guilty beyond a question of a doubt. There is no need of going into the details of the case, that I believe the fact remains that Frank was apparently the only person who could have committed the crime for weeks. For instance, it was a long, long time before the public even realized that the Negro, Conley, could read or was capable of writing the notes that were a strong link in the chain of evidence against Frank. As far as I was concerned, it made no difference to me whether it was Negro or white man, or Lithuanian or Pole, or Armenian or American."

"It was the justice of the thing. There have been times when I have called out the militia to protect the life of a Negro. I knew he was guilty of the unpardonable crime, because I believe in law. But I could not see how a man should be deprived of his life and sent to eternity on the testimony of a Negro who was a proved criminal and who had served numerous terms during three years in the penitentiary."

"Does the action of the mob against Frank indicate that the lynch spirit is not so much a matter of race hatred as a matter of temperament peculiar to the people of that section of the country?"

"Oh, no! No, no!" cried Slaton. "You have had the same spirit demonstrated many times in the North as well as in the South. Zach Walker was burned at

HUERTA AND FRIENDS CONFER, DEFYING VIGIL OF SECRET SERVICE

"Only Friendly Calls," Explains Ex-Dictator, and Says He Has No Intention of Jumping Bail Bonds—Shadowed.

EL PASO, Tex., June 29.—Although he persistently denies that his presence upon the Mexican border has any political significance, General Victoriano Huerta, who is under arrest with General Pascual Orozco, accused of conspiring to violate the neutrality laws, conferred with many former Mexican Federalists and Federal soldiers today.

"Only friendly calls," explained General Huerta. "My old friends are glad to see me and I am glad to see them. But I want to repeat that I have no intention of violating American neutrality. I am tired of fighting and revolution. I love peace."

In addition to his visitors, General Huerta also received many telegrams, some of which were in cipher. It is charged by representatives of General Francisco Villa and General Venustiano Carranza that Orozco has been busy for some weeks recruiting like Mexicans and sending them across the border in small parties. Orozco is also said to have purchased large quantities of arms, ammunition and other war supplies, which are stored in warehouses.

PRESIDENT WILSON REFUSES AUDIENCE TO ANGELES. Executive Declines to Meet Villa Lieutenant.

WINDSOR, Vt., June 29.—President Wilson refused the request this afternoon of Gen. Felipe Angeles, Villa lieutenant, for a personal interview on the Mexican situation.

The President's refusal was communicated to Angeles' emissaries, Colonel Aguilar and Major Garcia, who came here to arrange the meeting with the President. Aguilar and Garcia then left for Washington to deliver to the State Department letters from Angeles and Gen. Raoul Madero.

REPUTED HEAD OF BASEBALL POOL CAUGHT IN ALLENTOWN

Howard Heimbach Charged With Selling Lottery Tickets.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., June 29.—With the arrest of W. Howard Heimbach, of Wilkes-Barre, in this city yesterday by Detectives Herbert M. Bachman, of this city, the police believe that they have found the root of the baseball pool evil as it was carried on in Allentown. Heimbach was arrested on a charge of selling lottery tickets and furnished \$1000 bail for trial at September court here, the City Treasurer of Wilkes-Barre furnishing the bond.

Heimbach, it is alleged, is the man who brought the tickets to this city and distributed them among local agents.

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From Market Street Wharf. \$1.00 Atlantic City, Cape May, Wildwood, Ocean City, Holly Beach, Jenkins, Stone Harbor, Wildwood Crest, Sea Isle City, Avalon.

From Broad Street Station. \$1.50 Ashbury Park, Ocean Grove, Long Branch, Belmar, Sea Girt, Wednesdays, July 14 to Sept. 1, Inc. 7.03 a. m. Fridays, July 16 to Sept. 3, Inc. 7.03 a. m.

\$1.50 Tolchester Beach on Chesapeake Bay, 7.22 a. m. Wednesdays, July 29; August 18.

\$2.00 Baltimore, The Monumental City, 7.55 a. m. \$2.50 Washington, The Nation's Capital, Sundays, June 27, July 11, 25; August 8, 22; Sunday, 5, 19; Oct. 3, 17, 31.

\$2.50 Up the Hudson, West Point and Newburgh, 7.03 a. m. Thursdays, July 22; Aug. 5, 19; Sept. 2, 16.

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